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In response to the Official Action dated May 23, 2001, please amend this application as follows:

In the specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 4, with the following rewritten paragraph:

This is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/166,974, filed January 4, 1999, now U.S. Patent 6,006,415, which was a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/991,101, filed December 12, 1997, now U.S. Patent 5,881,444.

In the claims:

Please amend claims 1 and 16 as follows:

1. (amended) A method of applying a holographic image to the surface of an article made of hard temper metal comprising:
providing a photoresist coated plate,
etching a holographic pattern in the photoresist with said pattern etched to a depth of at least about 3 microns in the photoresist,

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